

The percentage of undergraduates who took any distance education courses in 1999–2000, and among those who did, the percentage reporting various ways in which the courses were delivered

Institutional and student characteristics	Took any courses	Mode of delivery if participated		
		Live, interactive	Internet	Pre-recorded
Total	8.4	37.0	59.0	39.1
4-year sector <sup>1</sup>				
Public and private not-for-profit	7.2	34.1	62.7	33.2
Public	7.4	36.7	60.2	31.9
Private not-for-profit	6.7	27.3	69.3	36.7
Institution type <sup>1</sup>				
Public	8.6	38.1	57.4	39.2
Less-than-2-year	1.8	(#)	(#)	(#)
2-year	9.6	39.0	55.7	43.3
4-year nondoctorate-granting	7.8	36.2	64.9	30.1
4-year doctorate-granting	7.1	37.1	57.1	33.1
Private not-for-profit	6.6	28.2	69.3	37.1
Less-than-4-year	6.0	47.0	70.0	44.6
4-year nondoctorate-granting	7.3	27.9	68.8	35.6
4-year doctorate-granting	5.6	26.2	70.3	38.9
Private for-profit	4.5	27.9	69.8	25.4
More than one institution <sup>2</sup>	12.3	40.9	57.2	44.5
Class level				
Graduating senior	8.7	60.7	33.6	31.9
All other undergraduates	8.3	58.8	37.4	39.9
Attendance intensity				
Exclusively full-time	7.2	57.8	39.5	36.8
Mixed full-time and part-time	11.5	62.6	34.0	38.7
Exclusively part-time	9.0	58.7	35.5	42.1
Attendance status				
Full-time, full-year	7.7	39.0	59.5	36.9
Full-time, part-year	5.8	42.4	52.4	39.7
Part-time, full-year	10.8	35.4	61.0	41.6
Part-time, part-year	8.6	34.1	58.2	39.4
Undergraduate program <sup>1</sup>				
Certificate	7.1	43.6	60.5	46.5
Associate's degree	10.3	38.1	55.4	41.2
Bachelor's degree	7.3	33.6	63.0	34.9
Nondegree program	5.9	39.9	58.5	33.4
Gender				
Male	7.3	34.5	60.8	40.1
Female	9.2	38.6	57.9	38.5
Race				
One race				
White	8.6	34.6	58.2	37.6
Black or African American	8.3	46.9	60.8	37.1
Asian	6.8	40.4	69.7	36.3
American Indian/Alaska Native	10.9	52.2	44.9	41.1
Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	9.7	(#)	(#)	(#)
Other race	6.2	41.9	63.1	56.0
More than one race	9.3	27.7	63.6	46.9

See footnotes at end of table.

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Hispanic or Latino (any race)				
Not Hispanic or Latino	8.6	36.6	59.2	38.1
Hispanic or Latino	6.8	41.3	56.8	50.0
Dependency status				
Dependent	6.3	40.5	58.0	39.8
Independent	10.5	34.9	59.6	38.7
No dependents, unmarried	8.1	37.1	56.1	41.2
Married, no dependents	10.7	33.7	60.8	40.8
Single parent	10.7	38.6	59.6	38.5
Married parents	12.4	31.7	61.3	36.6
Age as of 12/31/99				
18 years or younger	4.3	41.2	65.1	32.3
19–23 years	6.9	40.2	56.9	41.8
24–29 years	10.1	35.2	56.1	42.7
30–39 years	12.5	32.6	63.0	35.7
40 years or older	10.2	36.1	60.9	34.2
Dependency and income level in 1998				
Dependent				
Less than \$20,000	6.3	41.3	60.4	40.3
\$20,000–39,999	6.2	44.3	63.0	39.2
\$40,000–59,999	6.5	42.5	58.2	41.5
\$60,000–79,999	6.9	39.3	59.4	38.4
\$80,000–99,999	7.2	37.8	45.5	45.4
\$100,000 or more	5.2	35.3	58.3	34.2
Independent				
Less than \$10,000	9.2	42.3	63.4	38.6
\$10,000–19,999	8.6	43.0	54.0	41.8
\$20,000–29,999	10.9	37.6	59.8	39.0
\$30,000–49,999	10.9	31.2	58.3	37.9
\$50,000 or more	12.2	27.7	61.4	37.6
Parents' education				
High school diploma or less	8.6	38.1	57.4	35.3
Some postsecondary education	9.6	36.5	60.0	41.7
Bachelor's degree or higher	7.4	36.5	59.8	41.3
Disability status				
No disability reported	8.2	37.5	58.4	39.2
Some type of disability reported	9.9	33.1	63.6	38.5
Average hours worked while enrolled				
Did not work	6.4	34.4	61.6	31.6
Worked part time	7.9	38.7	56.4	40.3
Worked full time	9.9	36.1	60.7	40.3

#Too small to report.

<sup>1</sup>Refers to NPSAS institution only.

<sup>2</sup>Column classifications refer to NPSAS institution.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 1999–2000 National Postsecondary Student Aid Study (NPSAS:2000).